October is National Arts and Humanities Month.
Celebrate! Create!

QUOTE(S) OF THE DAY

"Without art we would be nothing but foreground and live entirely in the spell of that perspective which makes what is closest at hand and most vulgar appear as if it were vast, and reality itself.” – Friedrich Nietzsche

"If we seek to make a change happen, we must begin with practical empathy. And practical empathy means I don't know what you know, I don't believe what you believe, I don't want what you want, and that's okay. Because if we can't add 'and that's okay' then we have no chance at all of finding common ground, of earning attention and respect.” – Seth Godin, The perils of mind reading | Akimbo

“In all life one should comfort the afflicted, but verily, also, one should afflict the comfortable, and especially when they are comfortably, contentedly, even happily wrong.” – John Kenneth Galbraith

“You can waste your lives drawing lines. Or you can live your life crossing them.” – Shonda Rhimes

“Imagination does not become great until human beings, given the courage and the strength, use it to create.” – Maria Montessori

“I'll try anything. What are they gonna do, kick me out of show business?” – Penny Marshall

VIDEO(S) OF THE DAY
Wisconsin Rapids police officers dance to Blanco Brown hit The Git Up
Wisconsin Rapids Tribune

Every Child Deserves a Good Education—and the Arts Can Help!
Americans for the Arts

Communities are stronger when people understand and value one another —and the Arts Can Help!
Americans for the Arts

American Ingenuity
National Assembly of State Arts Agencies

Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you’d like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to artsboard@wisconsin.gov!

TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

NEW NCN Articles of Interest | October 11, 2019
National Creativity Network

Latino Art Fair
Events | Overture Center
Through October 20 | Exhibition: Veronica Figueroa, Julieta Guimaraens, Lori Nelson

Fall Conference 2019
Wisconsin Art Education Association
October 17 – 18 | Manitowoc

Wisconsin Science Festival – Curiosity Unleashed
Wisconsin Science Festival
October 17 – 20

2019 Wisconsin Book Festival
Wisconsin Book Festival
October 17 – 20

Youth Voices: Activism Through Theatre
American Alliance for Theatre and Education
October 18 – 20 | Berkeley, CA
2019 Wisconsin State Music Conference
Wisconsin Music Educators Association
October 23 – 26 | Madison

2019 NDEO Conference | The Creative Process: Choreography, Choice-Making and Communication
National Dance Education Organization
October 23 - 26 | Miami, FL

VSA Intersections: Arts and Special Education Conference
The Kennedy Center
October 25 – 28

Make Music Wisconsin information meetings
Make Music Day and Arts Wisconsin
October 26 – 29

Meeting schedule (subject to change; contact Arts Wisconsin)

Saturday, October 26

1-2 pm | Stevens Point - IDEA Center, 1039 Ellis Street
Local host: CREATE Portage County

5-9 pm | Land O’ Lakes - Zombie Pub Crawl
Local host: Land O’ Lakes Arts

Sunday, October 27

11 am-12 noon | Eagle River - Warehouse Arts Center, 107 South Railroad Street
Local hosts: Grow North and Warehouse Arts Center

4:30-5:30 pm | Washburn - Washburn Cultural Center, 1 East Bayfield Street
Local host: Chequamegon Bay Arts Council

Monday, October 28

10-11 am, Webster | In A New Light Gallery, 7417 N. Bass Lake Road
Local host: Northwest Passage

3-4 pm | La Crosse - Pump House Regional Arts Center, 119 King Street
Local host: Pump House Regional Arts Center

7-8 pm | Mineral Point - Lind Pavilion, Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts, 411 Commerce St.
Local host: Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts

Tuesday October 29
10-11 am | Kenosha - Kenosha Creative Space, 624 57th Street
Local hosts: Kenosha Creative Space, Kenosha Community Foundation, City of Kenosha Commission on the Arts

3-4 pm | Sheboygan - John Michael Kohler Arts Center, 608 New York Avenue
Local hosts: John Michael Kohler Arts Center and City of Sheboygan

7-8 pm | Green Bay - Neville Public Museum, 201 Museum Place
Local hosts: Mosaic Arts, Inc. and Neville Public Museum

2019 Conference
Alliance of Artists Communities
October 28 – 31 | St. Paul, MN

2019 Statewide Conference on Philanthropy
Wisconsin Philanthropy Network
October 30

2019 Conference for Community Arts Education
National Guild for Community Arts Education
October 30 – November 2 | Austin, TX

Joint Effort Marketing (JEM) Grant Program
Wisconsin Department of Tourism
Deadlines: November 1, February 1, April 1, August 1

2019 NAfME National Conference – Amplify the Future of Music: Opening Doors for All Students
National Association for Music Education
November 6 – 10 | Orlando, FL

We're heading to Miami!
National Arts Marketing Project
November 15 – 18 | Miami, FL

STEM Art and Film Festival
Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Honor Society
November 17

NEW Wisconsin Creative Summit
Arts Wisconsin
December 11

Nonprofit Management Institute
NAMM.org
January 16 – 19
Wisconsin Arts Integration Symposium
UW Community Arts Collaboratory
Part 2 | January 17 – 18

Best Communities for Music Education
NAMM Foundation
Deadline: January 31

The print version of the 2019 Arts & Crafts Fair Directory is available and may be ordered here.
TravelWisconsin.com

If you’d prefer to view the Directory online, click here.

IN THE NEWS

Visual Arts/Museums

Mural unveiled at Fort’s Water Department building
Daily Jefferson County Union

Ink and Paper - A gift-worthy local print sale
Volume One Gallery
Deadline: October 26

"George Washington High School’s alumni association sues over controversial S.F. mural"
The Art Law Blog

Arts and Creativity in Education

Art Scene: Bay View’s Unique Art School
Urban Milwaukee

Community Arts

Grand Re-Opening: State Theatre and Community Center
Volume One Magazine

Media Arts

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar: Scorsese Isn’t Wrong About Marvel (He Isn’t Right, Either)
Hollywood Reporter

Performing Arts

Music
Whitney Houston, Soundgarden, MC5 Nominated for Rock Hall of Fame
Variety

Other

All We Need Is Audience Development?
HowlRound Theatre Commons

How and Why to Rebrand Your Organization, Part 1: Why
ARTS Blog | Americans for the Arts

Who are you?
ARTS Blog | Americans for the Arts

WHEN YOU GO

Have you added your event to Portal Wisconsin?

Visual Arts/Museums

New Art Exhibition Investigates Marine Debris
WORT 89.9 FM
Until January

MPM to Give Free Admission to Tribal Members and Schools During November 2019
Urban Milwaukee
November

Southeastern Wisconsin Artist Resource Fair and Krazines Zine Fest
Milwaukee Magazine
November 9

Media Arts

Viterbo to host documentary on Cesar Chavez
La Crosse Tribune
October 16

Milwaukee Film Festival kicks off Thursday
BizTimes Daily
October 17 – 31

Also
Special Events at the 2019 Milwaukee Film Festival
Shepherd Express
October 17 – 31
Performing Arts

Music

Classical music: Two noteworthy baroque concerts by Just Bach and the Wisconsin Baroque Ensemble are on tap this Wednesday afternoon and Saturday night
The Well-Tempered Ear
October 16, 19

Present Music's Thanksgiving Concert Introduces New Traditions
Urban Milwaukee
November 17

Presenting

Charlie Berens of 'Manitowoc Minute' plays Door Community Auditorium
Door County Advocate
October 20

Fabulously Funny Comedy Festival coming to the Miller High Life Theatre March 20
Urban Milwaukee
March 20

Theater/Opera

Warren Gerds/Critic at Large: Caregiving a theme in dramatic play 'Mary Jane' in
Green Bay
WeAreGreenBay.com
October 17 – 19; 23 – 26

Other

Wisconsin Science Festival returns for its ninth year
The Badger Herald
October 17 – 20

Also
Arts and science aren't opposites — they go side-by-side
The Badger Herald
October 17 – 20

OPPORTUNITIES
Lighthouse Works Invites Applications for 2020 Spring Fellowships
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: October 15

MORE TOUR: Sculpture Tour Eau Claire announces 2020 call for art
Volume One Magazine
Deadline: October 21

NEW Lang Lang International Music Foundation Young Scholar Applications Now Open
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: October 25

NEW Ink and Paper - A gift-worthy local print sale
Volume One Gallery
Deadline: October 26

Harvard Graduate School of Design Invites Applications for Richard Rogers Fellowship
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: October 27

OPERA American Invites Applications for Innovation Grants
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: October 30 (Letters of Intent)

Association of Performing Arts Professionals Invites Applications for Cultural Exchange Fund
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: October 30

How to Propose a Residency
UW–Madison Division of the Arts
Deadline: October 31

Conference 2020 Call for Proposals | Resistance and Reimagination: Gender, Change, and the Arts
Women’s & Gender Studies Consortium | UW–Madison
Deadline: November 1

Joint Effort Marketing (JEM) Grant Program
Wisconsin Department of Tourism
Deadlines: November 1, February 1, April 1, August 1

Inspire! Grants for Small Museums
Institute of Museum and Library Services
Deadline: November 15
Museums for America  
*Institute of Museum and Library Services*  
**Deadline:** November 15

Museums Empowered  
*Institute of Museum and Library Services*  
**Deadline:** November 15

Women’s Studio Workshop Invites Applications for Art-in-Education Artist Book Residency  
*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*  
**Deadline:** November 19

Call for 2020 Applications  
*Co.Lab*  
**Deadline:** November 30

USA Artists International  
*Grants for Artists | Mid Atlantic Arts Foundation (MAAF)*  
**Deadlines:** December 22, April 1

Wisconsin’s Own film submissions now open – closes Dec. 27, 2019  
*Division of the Arts | UW–Madison*  
**Deadline:** December 27

Best Communities for Music Education  
*NAMM Foundation*  
**Deadline:** January 31

Radcliffe Institute Accepting Applications for Fellowship Program  
*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*  
Various

Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund  
*Awards & Grants | American Library Association*  
**Deadline:** None. Monthly Review

Pollock-Krasner Foundation Accepting Grant Applications From Artists in Need  
*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*  
**Deadline:** Open

Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for ‘Reimagine It’ Grants  
*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*  
**Deadline:** Open

Foundation for Contemporary Art Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants  
*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*  
**Deadline:** Open
Adolph & Esther Gottlieb Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: Open

Open Grant Solicitations
Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State
Various

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens
RFP | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: Various

NALAC Unveils New Funding For Latinx Artists
National Association of Latino Arts and Cultures
Various Deadlines

Craft Emergency Relief Fund Accepting Applications From Craftspeople in Need
Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: Open

Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for 'Reimagine It' Grants
RFPs | PND
Deadline: Open

Shubert Foundation Accepting Applications for Performing Arts Grants
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: Various

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens
Philanthropy News Digest
Deadlines: Various

Local Systems
The Kresge Foundation
No Deadline

Community Development Investment Grant
Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation
No deadlines; continually available

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